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# CURSED SWORD



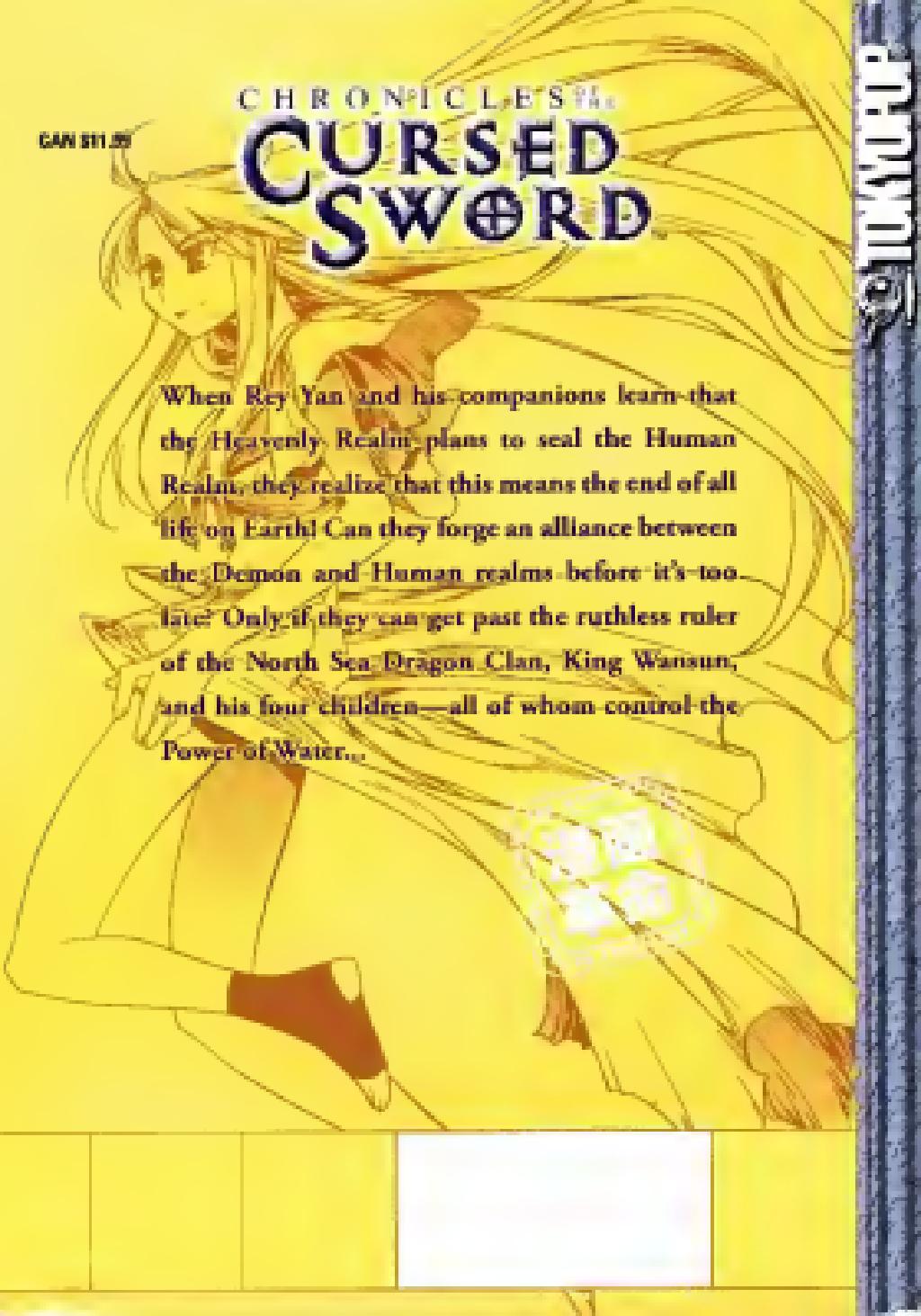
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When Rey Yan and his companions learn that the Heavenly Realm plans to seal the Human Realm, they realize that this means the end of all life on Earth! Can they forge an alliance between the Demon and Human realms before it's too late? Only if they can get past the ruthless ruler of the North Sea Dragon Clan, King Wansun, and his four children—all of whom control the Power of Water...

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The cast of characters

## MINGLING

A lesser demon with fine qualities, Mingling is now the loyal follower of Shyao Lin. She lives in fear of Rey, who still doesn't trust her.

## THE PASA SWORD

A living sword that hungered for demon blood, but at a great cost it can take over the user's body and in time, his soul.

## JARYOON KING OF HAHYUN

Noble and charismatic, Jaryoon is the stuff of which great kings are made. But there has been a drastic change in Jaryoon as of late. Now under the sway of the spirit of the FaChun sword, Jaryoon is cutting a swath of humanity across the countryside as he searches for his new prey: Rey.

## SHYAO LIN

A sorceress previously Rey's traveling companion and greatest ally Shyao has recently discovered that she is, in fact, one of the eight Sages of the Azure Pavilion, sent to gather information in the Human Realm. Much to her dismay, her first duty is to Ban, the Lady Schwa, to kill Rey Yari.

## REY YAN

Rey has proven to be a worthy student of the wise and diminutive Master Chen Kaitu. At the Mug Fortress, the ultimate warrior testing grounds, Rey has shown his martial arts mettle. And with both the possessed Jaryoon and the new godlike Shyao after his blood—he'll need all the survival skills he can muster.

## MOOSUNGJE EMPEROR OF ZHOU

Until recently, the kingdom of Zhou under Moosungje's reign was a peaceful place, its people prosperous, its foreign actions amicable. But recently,

Moosungje has undergone a mysterious change, leading Zhou to war against its neighbors.

## SORCERESS OF THE UNDERWORLD

A powerful sorceress, she was approached by Shyao's agents to team up with the Demon Realm. For now her motives are unclear, but she's not to be trusted.

## SHIYAN PRIME MINISTER OF HAHYUN

A powerful sorcerer who is in league with the Demon Realm and plots to take over the kingdom. He is the creator of the Pasa Sword and its match, the FaChun Sword—the Cursed Swords that may be the keys to victory.

## CHEN KAITU

A diminutive martial arts master, in Rey, he sees a promising pupil—one who can learn his powerful techniques.

Thus Far In...

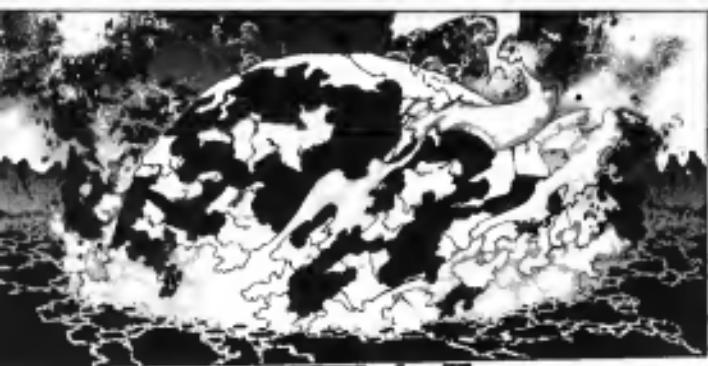
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In an era of warring states, warlords become kings, dynasties crumble, and heroes can rise from the most unlikely places. Rey Yan was an orphan with no home, no skills and no purpose. But when he comes upon the PaSa sword, a cursed blade made from the bones of the Demon Emperor, he suddenly finds himself with the power to be a great hero.

Kang Jaryeon, possessed by the evil PaChun sword, has beaten our heroes to the Great Azure Pavilion, home of the Eight Great Sages. When the Heavenly Gods sensed their Pavilion was in danger, they sent their emissaries to seal off the Human Realm—which will mean the end of all life on Earth! Rey and an unlikely company of demons, sages, and warriors have fought their way up the levels of MuJin Tower in order to reach a shortcut at the top. Impressed, the Lord of the tower has agreed to train them...

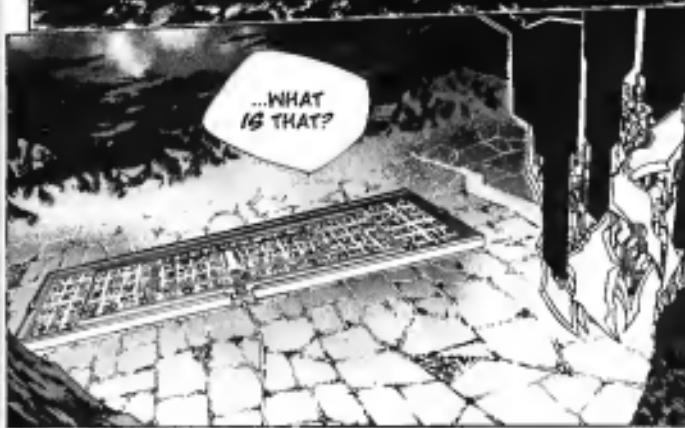














WHEN I FIRST  
MET HER, S  
HE WAS STILL  
HUMAN

I HADN'T  
MASTERED  
THE WAY, AND  
I WAS HAVING  
TROUBLE MAKING  
PROGRESS.

BOY, I DON'T  
UNDERSTAND!

DO YOU ONE'S  
CLASS MATTER  
IN ACHIEVING  
ENLIGHTENMENT?

PIRATE

WAIT A  
MOMENT.

OH,  
OH

NO!

BUT  
I'M ALSO  
STUDYING  
THE WAY OF  
ZEN!

WHY  
CAN'T  
COMB  
IMP

THIS IS NOT  
A PLACE FOR  
SOMEONE  
LIKE YOU!

IF ALL THE  
TAUGHTS  
IN THIS PLACE  
ARE LIKE YOUS,  
I'M SURELY  
DISAPPOINTED!

HMM, YOU...

THIS PLACE IS  
ONLY FOR THOSE  
FROM THE BEST  
FAMILIES.

THERE ARE MANY  
HIGH BLOODS HERE  
TO STUDY THE WAY  
TO BECOME A GUY.  
WHY WOULD WE LET  
A PIRATE LIKE YOU IN?

MATTESS  
WONNUYUN!

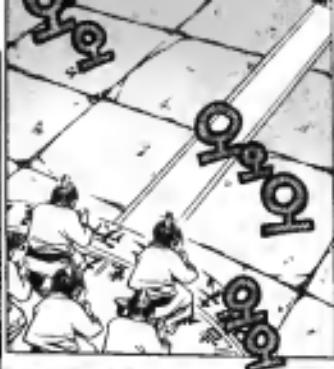
WE DID YOUR  
PARENTS,  
MATTESS  
WONNUYUN.











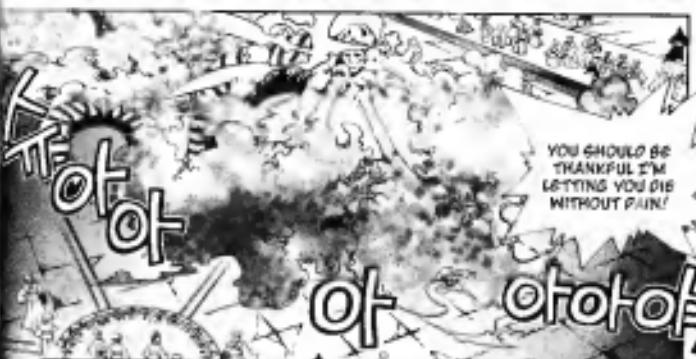
























THE ONLY  
THING I PROMISED YOU  
WAS MY POWER  
AND THE KNOWLEDGE  
I HAVE REGARDING  
THE HEAVENLY  
REALM

WHAT  
IS IT?





THAT TOWER  
DOES MAKE ME  
FEEL A BIT  
UNRESTY.

SHIYAN, AS YOU  
MAY HAVE  
GUESSED  
...THAT TOWER  
REPRESENTS  
A THREAT  
TO US.

FINE.

YOU MAY SPEAK.  
I CAN SLAY YOU  
AFTER THAT.

IN 10 DAYS, WHEN  
THE SEAL IS PUT INTO  
EFFECT, ALL THINGS  
IN THE HUMAN REALM  
WILL CEASE THEIR  
MOTION AND ALL LIVING  
BEINGS WILL DIE.

THAT  
MEANS...

THE  
HEAVENLY  
REALM HAS  
LAUNCHED  
THE HUMAN  
REALM?

EVEN WE,  
THE DEMON  
RACE, COULDN'T  
HAVE COME UP  
WITH SUCH A  
RUTHLESS PLAN.

ASIDE FROM  
THE TRUE  
TYRANTS  
OF THE HEAVENLY  
REALM COULD HAVE  
COME UP WITH AN  
IDEA LIKE THAT.

WHAT KIND  
OF CRUEL  
GODS ARE  
THEY?

I COME WITH A  
PROPOSITION. MY  
MASTER, TAOJUN,  
HIGHLY TO FORM A  
TEMPORARY ALLIANCE  
WITH YOU TO PREVENT  
THE SEALING.

I PLAN ON  
EXTENDING THE  
SAME OFFER  
TO HYACIA AND  
REY YAN.

HA, YOU THINK  
YOU CAN GET  
AWAY FROM ME?

WHEN THIS IS  
THROUGH, I WILL  
DECIDE IF EV  
ISHT BEFORE  
YOUR VERY EYES!











TODAY'S ALMOST OVER,  
ONLY 16 MORE  
DAYS TO GO UNTIL  
THE SEALING IS  
COMPLETE

USING THE TOWERS  
YOU SEE FLOATING IN  
THE SKY, THE SEALING  
WILL STOP TIME IN  
THE HUMAN REALM

MEANING, ALL  
THINGS LIVING  
IN THE HUMAN  
REALM WILL DIE  
INCLUDING YOU,  
JARVOON, AND  
THE DEMONS.

YOU  
UNDER-  
STAND?

THE GODS THINK  
THEY CAN DO  
WHATEVER  
THEY WANT!

WE HAVE 14  
DAYS LEFT...  
WE DON'T  
HAVE MUCH  
CHOICE

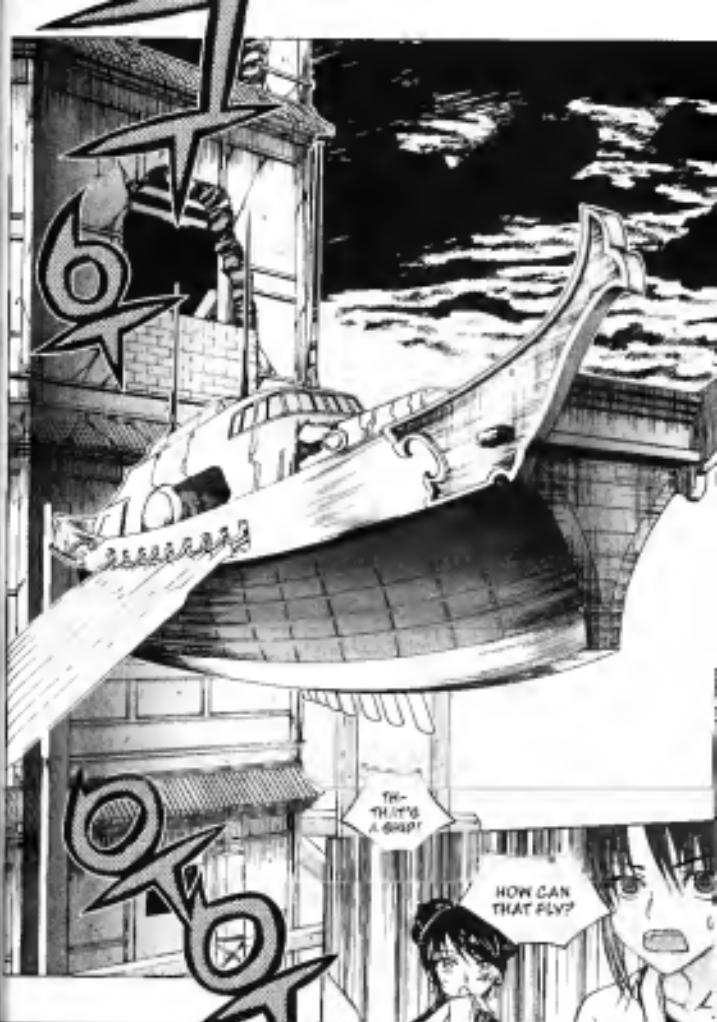
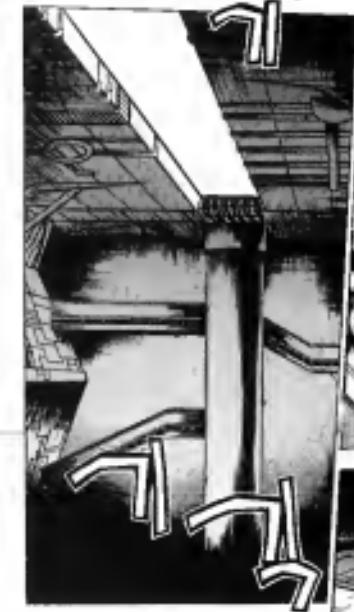
I AND  
THE DEMONS  
OF THE HUMAN  
REALM WILL FORM  
AN ALLIANCE  
WITH YOU

HEY, AIN'T  
YOU BEING  
TOO HASTY?  
WE'D BE FOOLS  
TO TRUST THE  
DEMON REALM

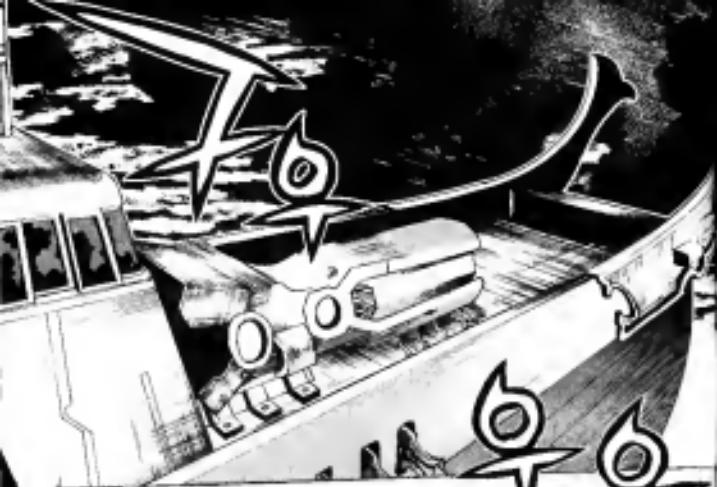
EVEN IF  
THIS NEEDS A TRAP  
BY THE DEMON  
REALM, STOPPING  
THE SEAL NOW  
ISN'T OF MORE  
IMPORTANT IT'S  
NECESSARY

TO GIVE THE  
LIVES IN THE HUMAN  
REALM, NOT TO  
MENTION PUT AN END  
TO THE PROBLEMS  
THE TOWERS MIGHT  
CAUSE FOR ME

## Chapter 50 Moving Forward!

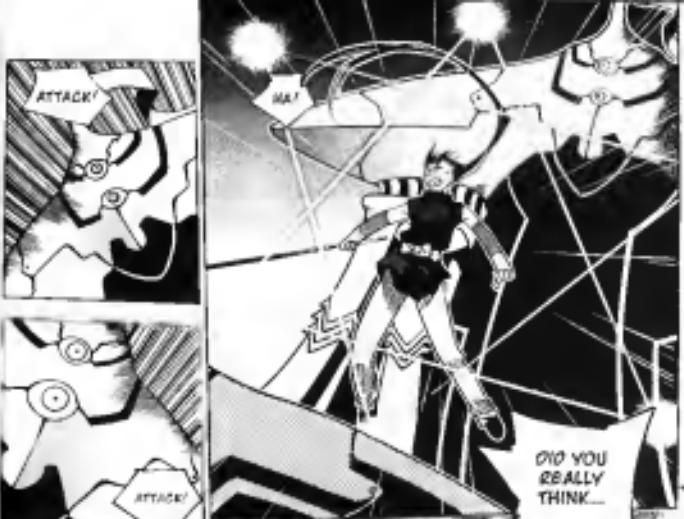












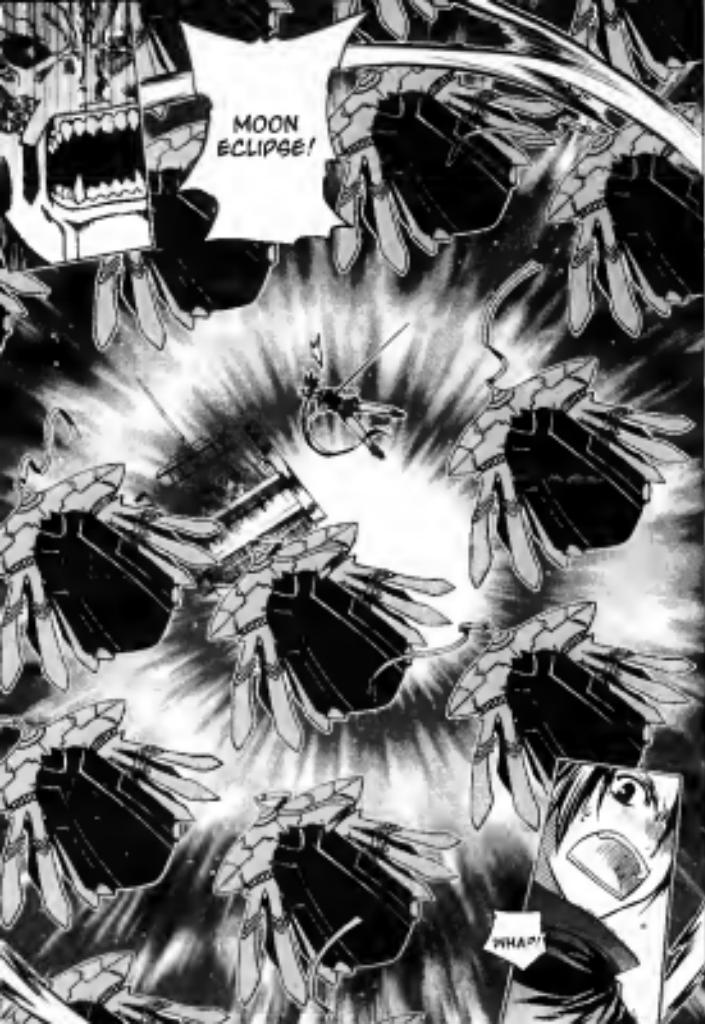


MOON-  
BEAMS  
SLICE  
THROUGH  
THE NIGHT  
AIR!











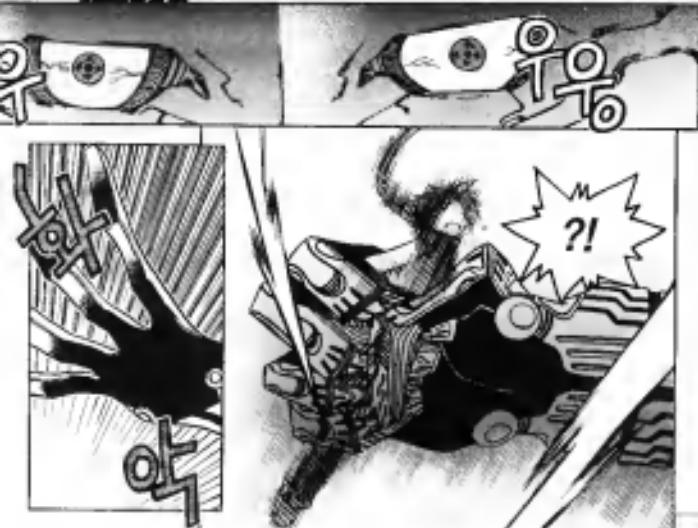




UNBELIEVABLE

HE  
CHOSE TO BE  
SHALLOWED BY  
THE DRAGON?



























IN ORDER TO  
MOVE INSIDE  
THAT WATER, I  
MUST PROTECT  
MYSELF.

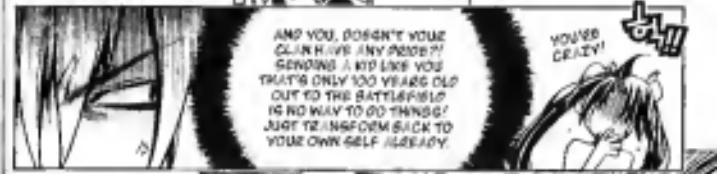
WATER

EVEN THOUGH I  
TRANSFORMED  
MYSELF INTO PLUM  
ENERGY, IT'S STILL  
HARD TO MOVE  
AROUND IN HERE!

I MUST FIND  
SHUENY,  
FAST.

WHAT  
IS HE  
DOING?

I SENSE  
PRESSURE  
COMING  
FROM THIS  
DIRECTION











SHOW  
YOURSELFES!

YOU DARE  
PLAY WITH MY  
MEMORY?!

HE'S  
STRONG...

MUCH STRONGER  
THAN I AM. BUT IF I  
CAN'T STOP HIM, KING  
WANSUN WILL KILL ME!

IF YOU DON'T  
COME OUT, I'LL  
COMPLETELY  
DESTROY THIS  
PLACE UNTIL I  
FIND YOU!

I NEED TO  
FIND HIS  
WEAKNESS  
BEFORE HE  
GETS TO THE  
CENTER!

WHY  
ISN'T ANYONE  
COMING OUT? I  
CAN'T KEEP USING  
BAN-GO'S POWER  
FOREVER...

HMPH. WHY  
WORRY? I'LL  
JUST SMASH  
THINGS UNTIL  
I RUN OUT OF  
ENERGY.

HSH.









EXCELLENT! NOW I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT BEING PUNISHED! GIRENU AND MY SECOND BROTHER WILL TAKE CARE OF REST OF THE PEOPLE DOWNSTAIRS. I'M SURE.



IF THIS TIME I DON'T I CAN PEST THE BOOTS INSIDE MY BRAIN.

WAIT A MINUTE-- WHY AM I STILL CONSCIOUS WHEN MY BRAIN IS DAMAGED?



I MUST FOCUS. THERE IS ONLY ONE WAY OUT OF THIS...

HMM. YOU'RE STILL MOVING. I'M SORRY, BUT THAT WILL ONLY INCREASE YOUR PAIN.



HE STILL HAS HIS STRENGTH?

YOU  
JUST DON'T  
KNOW WHEN  
TO STOP,  
DO YOU?

HMM, LET  
ME GO!

I CAN'T DO  
THAT. I DON'T  
WANT TO  
GROW ALONE.

I HAVE  
SOMETHING  
GROWING TO  
THIS TIME OF  
YOURS INSIDE  
MY BODY.

NOW TELL ME  
WHAT IT FEELS  
LIKE TO HAVE YOUR  
BODY SIGHTTESTED  
BEFORE YOUR EYES!

W-WHAT  
IS THIS?

NOT EVEN ONLY  
EVER BEEN THIS  
IN REMOTE PARTS  
OF THE HEAVENLY  
REALM! HOW DID  
ME...? NOOO!















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HUH?

IS THERE  
NO DOOR TO  
THIS TOWER?  
WHAT'S UP  
WITH THE  
EARTH?



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YEAH!

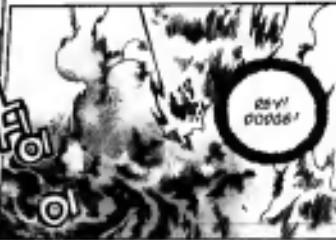






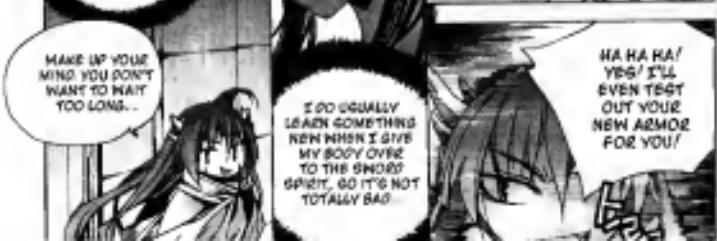








DO IT.



HA HA HA!  
YES! I'LL EVEN TEST OUT YOUR NEW ARMOR FOR YOU!





Tales from the  
Frankfurt-Germane  
Convention...

ONE DAY

HEE-JIN,  
WE WOULD LOVE  
YOU TO COME OVER  
TO FRANKFURT,  
GERMANY, TO MEET  
THE FANS FOR  
AN AUTOGRAPH  
SESSION! WOULD  
YOU COME?

SURE!  
OF COURSE  
I'LL  
COME!

FIRST TIME  
ON AN  
AIRPLANE!

SO I  
ARRIVED IN  
FRANKFURT,  
GERMANY.

IT WAS A  
VERY CLEAN  
CITY.

WOW! MY  
FIRST-EVER  
AUTOGRAPH  
SESSION!  
MY FIRST-  
EVER TRIP  
OUT OF THE  
COUNTRY!

SO, OFF TO  
7 DAYS IN  
GERMANY!

HMM?  
WITH A PILLLOW  
ARMED  
NAMELESS  
ONE  
SEEMED  
NICE

PRIMMIE  
THOUGH, THE  
FIRST BOOK IS  
STILL OUT!

SEE,  
DEAD-  
LAST!

SO, OFF TO  
7 DAYS IN  
GERMANY!

HMM?  
WITH A PILLLOW  
ARMED  
NAMELESS  
ONE  
SEEMED  
NICE

BOLL  
CAMERA!

HOW AWESOME!  
FIRST TIME IN FRONT  
OF A CAMER-



## NEXT VOLUME:



The fight to keep the Heavenly Reeds from sealing the Human Reeds continues. Hyoja advises Ray to use the chaotic power of Ban-go to absorb Hyo-Wanson in order to complete his armor, but if Ray uses Ban-go's power too long, he loses control of his own consciousness! And when Shyao comes face to face with her sisters and her former teacher, the Holy Mother, will she be able to do what's necessary to save the world?

KAGOME  
999

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